

*Congressional Black Caucus Chairmen and Chairwomen, 1971–2007**

MEMBER'S NAME	CONGRESS/SESSION	YEARS OF SERVICE
Charles Coles Diggs, Jr.	92nd–1st session	1971–1972
Louis Stokes	92nd–2nd session	1972–1973
Louis Stokes	93rd–1st session	1973–1974
Charles B. Rangel	93rd–2nd session	1974–1975
Charles B. Rangel	94th–1st session	1975–1976
Yvonne Brathwaite Burke	94th–2nd session	1976–1977
Parren James Mitchell	95th	1977–1979
Cardiss Collins	96th	1979–1981
Walter Edward Fauntroy	97th	1981–1983
Julian Carey Dixon	98th	1983–1985
George Thomas (Mickey) Leland	99th	1985–1987
Mervyn Malcolm Dymally	100th	1987–1989
Ronald V. Dellums	101st	1989–1991
Edolphus Towns	102nd	1991–1993
Kweisi Mfume	103rd	1993–1995
Donald Milford Payne	104th	1995–1997
Maxine Waters	105th	1997–1999
James Enos Clyburn	106th	1999–2001
Eddie Bernice Johnson	107th	2001–2003
Elijah Eugene Cummings	108th	2003–2005
Melvin L. Watt	109th	2005–2007
Carolyn Cheeks Kilpatrick	110th	2007–Present

* In the early years of the CBC, leadership was elected twice per Congress.